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AMENDMENT AND REPLY
UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Sir:

In response to the office action dated February 3, 2003, applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and reconsideration of the rejections of record.